Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 04 Jul 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 05 Jul 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 04 Jul 2022 at 02:08 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for details on Monday and for dry, bright weather much of Tuesday. Lower confidence on low cloud and rain detail later Tuesday and on Wednesday.

Headline for Monday 04 Jul 2022: Rather cloudy, showery start. Drier, brighter by afternoon. Cold, windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 04 Jul 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Fog
Precipitation probability					
40%	30%	20%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Monday 04 Jul 2022

Weather: Cloudy overnight and at first on Monday with scattered showers. The odd heavier shower is possible at first in north of area, then showers becoming fewer later in the morning. Then a brighter afternoon with some sunshine breaking through and just the odd light shower remaining.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% improving 70% in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud cover at first around 600 to 700m with poor visibility on higher slopes and near to showers. Clouds lifting and breaking up later in morning and early afternoon with mostly good visibility.

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Forecast for Monday 04 Jul 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	38/49 W	40/52 W	32/44 W	29/41 W	28/40 W	27/37 W	25/34 W
900	36/43 SW	34/43 W	27/37 W	25/35 W	25/34 W	22/30 W	20/28 W
600	24/30 SW	24/32 W	21/30 W	19/28 W	19/28 W	16/24 W	13/21 W
300	11/25 SW	11/26 W	14/29 W	13/27 W	12/25 W	9/20 W	9/20 W
Glen	4/22 SW	6/25 W	7/25 W	7/25 W	6/23 W	5/19 W	4/18 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	2/-6	2/-6	3/-4	3/-3	3/-4	2/-5	1/-5
900	5/-2	5/-1	6/0	6/1	6/1	5/-0	4/-1
600	7/2	8/3	9/5	9/6	9/5	8/4	7/3
300	9/6	10/8	11/9	12/10	12/9	10/8	9/7
Glen	8/8	11/9	13/11	14/11	13/11	10/9	8/8
Freezing Level*	1700m	1700m	1600m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note unseasonably cold, windy conditions over higher ridges and summits.

Forecast for Tuesday 05 Jul 2022
Weather: Much of the day will be dry and bright with some sunshine. It will become cloudy later in the day with damp, misty conditions coming in from the west, especially to Creag Meagaidh and around Ben Alder.

Maximum wind: West or northwesterly winds, average speeds on the tops of 25mph with gusts 40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80% decreasing 30% during evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility for much of the day with patchy cloud cover, bases about 800m. Poor visibility and lowering cloud bases edging in from the west later in the day.

Temperature: **Glens:** 8 Celsius rising to 18 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 7 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1700m.

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